

CROYDON PHILATELIC SOCIETY:

NOTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 9TH AUGUST 2016:

President Richard West opened the meeting at 21.45 hours and welcomed the 14 members present. The meeting was for **Member Displays** with the letter **M**. Eleven members presented their displays:

- **Alan Fitch** - Modern GB Errors. A variety of errors found on the stamps of QE2.
- **John Schofield** - A variety of stamps starting with **M**. e.g. French **Military Mail**, Miniature Sheet from Laos, **Military** and **Medical Mail** from the Gilbert Islands.
- **Paul Elliot** - the stamps of **Madagascar** off the coast of East Africa and **Martinique** in the Caribbean.
- **Chris Hitchen** - **Mobilisation** to **Mortality**. A great deal of French mail from a variety of post offices and a variety of destinations.
- **Pauline MacBroom** - **Moggies**. A number of covers and stamps featuring cats.
- **Graham Harker** - Arnold **Machin**. The design of the Queen's head first produced in 1971 and now an iconic subject.
- **David Taylor** - Olympic **Meeting** held in 1936 in Berlin. A variety of ephemera including decorative telegram, brochure and programme.
- **Chris Board** - **Marianne de Gandon**. The symbol of the French Republique on a variety of stamps.
- **John Ray** - cancellations on covers beginning with the letter **M** from Fiji and French Polynesia.
- **Paul Percival** - stamps from a number of countries beginning with **M** - Micronesia, **Madagascar**, **Malawi**, **Maldives**, **Mali**, **Malta**, **Mauritius**.
- **Frank Simpson** - **Military Mail** from Hanover.



From left to right: **Frank Simpson, Paul Elliot, Alan Fitch, John Ray, John Schofield, Graham Harker, David Taylor, Pauline MacBroom, Paul Percival, Chris Hitchen, Chris Board.**

President Richard thanked all the presenters for the variety of material on display. The meeting closed at 21.30 hours.